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Subject:	COUNCIL DECISION on the conclusion, on behalf of the Union, of the Agreement between the European Union and the Federative Republic of Brazil pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 relating to the modification of concessions on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU Schedule CLXXV as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union
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COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2022/...

of ...

**on the conclusion, on behalf of the Union, of the Agreement
between the European Union and the Federative Republic of Brazil
pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement
on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 relating to the modification of concessions
on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU Schedule CLXXV
as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal
from the European Union**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 207(4), first subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 218(6) second subparagraph, point (a)(v) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

Having regard to the consent of the European Parliament¹,

¹ Consent of ... (not yet published in the Official Journal).

Whereas:

- (1) On 15 June 2018, the Council authorised the Commission to open negotiations pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 with the Federative Republic of Brazil on the modification of concessions on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU Schedule CLXXV as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union.
- (2) The negotiations with the Federative Republic of Brazil were successfully concluded and the Agreement between the European Union and the Federative Republic of Brazil pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 relating to the modification of concessions on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU schedule CLXXV as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union ('the Agreement') was initialled on 14 September 2022.

- (3) The Agreement was signed on behalf of the Union on ...⁺, subject to its conclusion at a later date, in accordance with Council Decision (EU) 2022/...¹⁺⁺.
- (4) The Agreement should be approved,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

⁺ OJ: please insert the date of signing of the Agreement contained in document ST 15054/22.

¹ Council Decision (EU) 2022/... of ... on the signing, on behalf of the Union, of the Agreement between the European Union and the Federative Republic of Brazil pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 relating to the modification of concessions on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU schedule CLXXV as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union (OJ L ...).

⁺⁺ OJ: please insert the number of the Decision contained in document ST 15052/22 and complete the corresponding footnote.

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Union and the Federative Republic of Brazil pursuant to Article XXVIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 relating to the modification of concessions on all the tariff rate quotas included in the EU Schedule CLXXV as a consequence of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union is hereby approved on behalf of the Union¹⁺.

Article 2

The President of the Council shall, on behalf of the Union, give the notification provided for in Article 6(1) of the Agreement².

¹ The text of the Agreement is published in ... [insert OJ reference for document ST 15054/22].

⁺ Delegations: see document ST 15054/22.

² The date of entry into force of the Agreement will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union* by the General Secretariat of the Council.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

Done at ...,

For the Council

The President
